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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: LI et al. Docket: 372582-00201(337138)  
Serial No. 10/032,686 Examiner: VU, Quang D  
Filed: October 23, 2001 Art Unit: 2811  
For: **EXTERNAL POWER RING WITH MULTIPLE TAPINGS TO REDUCE  
IR DROP IN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT**

Mail Stop Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT and RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Sir,

In response to the Office Action, dated October 20, 2004, the period for response to which being extended by the petition herewith for one month extension through February 22, 2005, please amend this application as provided below and consider the remarks that follow.

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